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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE DRAWINGSCommissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

July 20, 2000

Sir:

It is proposed that the drawings in the above-identified application be amended in accordance with the attached redlined print, and approval of these drawing corrections is respectfully requested at this time.

Upon receipt of the approval of the amendment to the drawings and receipt of the official Notice of Allowance, the drawing amendments will be effected in accordance with the new procedures set forth in 1017 OG 4, April 6, 1982.

Respectfully submitted,



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